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SUBJECT: ENERGY SECRETARY DENIES NUCLEAR CHOICE ALREADY
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REF: LONDON 5126; LONDON 5188

ENERGY SEC. ERIC VARLEY REPORTEDLY DENIED IN THE
HOUSE OF COMMONS APRIL 29 THE VALIDITY OF A FINANCIAL
TIMES STORY CONCERNING A DECISION ON THE U.K.'S NEXT
NUCLEAR POWER STATION (REFTELS). HE SAID HMG WISHES TO
HEAR THE VIEWS OF MEMBERS IN THE DEBATE MAY 2 BEFORE
MAKING UP ITS MIND. VARLEY REPORTEDLY MADE HIS STATEMENT
IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION AS TO WHETHER THE GOVERNMENT
WAS YET IN A POSITION TO RELEASE A STATEMENT ON THE
PENDING NUCLEAR REACTOR CHOICE.
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